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In re Application of:

Gary K. Michelson

Serial No.: 09/618,036

Filed: July 17, 2000

For: ANTERIOR CERVICAL PLATING
SYSTEM AND BONE SCREW

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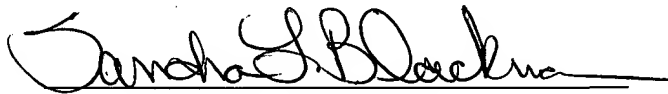
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Subject to the approval of the Examiner, please replace the informal drawings with the 20 sheets of corrected formal drawings filed herewith (Figures 1-84E). If the formal drawings for any reason are not in full compliance with the pertinent statutes and regulations, please so advise the undersigned.

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